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Applicant : Joseph E. KOVACH et al.  
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Examiner : Johnson, Blair M.

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Customer No. : 20686

For : REMOTE CONTROL OPERATING SYSTEM AND SUPPORT  
STRUCTURE FOR A RETRACTABLE COVERING FOR AN  
ARCHITECTURAL OPENING

Mail Stop AMENDMENT  
Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

In response to the Office action of July 14, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.